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COMMENTS:

APPLICATION NUMBER 09/888,085

Enclosed are the following documents.

1. Fee Transmittal (with copy for Deposit Account charge).
2. Response to Office action dated September 20, 2005, with request for extension of time included in response.

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☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Application Number	09/888,085
Filing Date	June 22, 2001
First Named Inventor	Dan A. PRESTON
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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**Fee Description**

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
50	25

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

200	100
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Multiple dependent claims

360	180
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Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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Confirmation No. 8100

Application No.: 09/888,085

Group Art Unit: 2665

Filed: June 22, 2001

For: **NETWORK DELAY IDENTIFICATION
METHOD AND APPARATUS**

Attorney Docket No.: 44375/21:1

Examiner: HSU, Alpus

Date: 2/21/2006

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed 09/20/2005, Applicant requests that the above-identified patent application be amended as follows.

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.
- A two-month extension of time to respond is requested. (February 20 was a legal holiday in the PTO.)

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